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In re application of : Luyten et al.
App. No. : 09/574,819
Filed : May 19, 2000
For : DNA MOLECULES
ENCODING CARTILAGE-
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MORPHOGENETIC
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Examiner : Romeo, D.
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response To Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application.

(X) An extension of time to respond for two months is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

(X) two months (\$400 large entity)

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS FILED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	6	—	26	= 0 ×	\$18	= \$0
Independent Claims	1	—	6	= 0 ×	\$84	= \$0
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add					\$280	= \$0
Time Extension Fee						\$400
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$400

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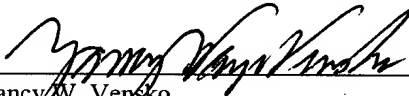
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- (X) A check in the amount of \$400 is enclosed.
- (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.



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